GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:26
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MCD ELECTIONS
KAMAL NATH

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have finally decided not to hold elections for Municipal Corporation of Delhi, scheduled to be held in February, 2002;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(c) the time by which MCD elections are likely to be held ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI CH. VIDYASAGAR RAO)

(a)to (c): In accordance with the provisions contained in `The Municipal Corporation of Delhi Act, 1957`, the responsibility for the conduct of the elections to the Municipal Corporation of Delhi is vested in the Election Commission of National Capital Territory of Delhi.

The Election Commission of National Capital Territory of Delhi has announced that polling for the Municipal Elections shall be held on the 24th March, 2002.